

Council Bluffs

POLICE CHIEFS FINISH WORK

Next Convention of Association to Be Held in Fort Dodge.

FROOM IS PRESIDENT AGAIN

Afternoon Devoted to Speeches, After Which Many of the Members Visit Ak-Sar-Ben in Omaha.

C. F. P. Froom, chief of police at Council Bluffs, was yesterday honored with a re-election to the position of president of the Iowa Association of Police Chiefs. There was no opposition to the suggestion of continuing Chief Froom at the head of the organization. M. J. Jordan of Fort Dodge was elected vice president and H. T. Wagner of Waterloo secretary-treasurer. There was not a very spirited contest for the honor of entertaining the next meeting of the association, and when Fort Dodge made it known that everything pointed to that city as the proper place, there was none to say nay. The date of the meeting will be approximately the same as this year.

The police chiefs put in a rather profitable and busy day yesterday, and there were a number of visitors during the morning session, and sufficient mental exercise was taken to work up a good appetite for the banquet that was spread at the Grand hotel at the dinner hour. Secretary O. B. Towne of the Commercial club was the principal speaker at the morning session, and discussed "Co-operation of the Public With the Police." He dwelt with particular force upon the needless presentation of temptation on the part of citizens, that encouraged and invited thefts.

Men, the speaker said, foolishly display money in the presence of crowds; women carry handbags loosely, often open far enough to disclose valuable contents, and many other needless acts are committed that simply lure their morally weaker brethren to commit crime.

Mr. Towne felt confident that if greater care was observed by the people there would be less crime of the burglary and larceny type. He declared the vocation of the purse-snatcher was the product of the big purse and handbag habit of the women. A mesh purse with money discernible, the purse held to the weak wrist of the owner by a frail chain, offered every inducement to the purse grabber who might have otherwise been an honest man.

Chief Jenney of Des Moines sent a paper which was read by Captain Wagner, the secretary-treasurer. His theme was "Co-operation in the Police Department."

The best part of the paper related to the necessity of eliminating the position of police chief from politics.

Chief O'Shannassy of Sioux City, who was the only additional arrival yesterday, talked on the juvenile problem. He approved the present juvenile laws and the children's court, but thought there was room for much additional legislation.

Good Places Come to Men of Bluffs

Mayor Maloney yesterday received a letter from President Ford, the new head of the League of Iowa Municipalities, announcing that in the distribution of the important places in the committee of the organization Council Bluffs had received an important share of the honors. Mayor Maloney has been made the chairman of the legislative committee, City Solicitor D. E. Stuart chairman of the committee on taxation and City Auditor McAneney is a member of the committee on municipal accounting. These are really the important committees in the association and Council Bluffs will thus have a dominating influence in the association, and as the association is now generally accredited with being the greatest agency for bringing about conditions that will make possible the development of the cities and towns of the state, the size and character of the responsibilities that have been given become apparent.

The appointment of J. M. McAneney on the municipal accounting committee is in direct recognition of the fact that that system of municipal accounting adopted by the state and officially approved by the federal government was practically evolved in the offices of City Treasurer True and City Auditor McAneney, and all of the city auditors of the state have to go to school to the Council Bluffs men when it comes to learning the full details of the accounting system that has now become uniform in the state.

Saturday Specials in Our Sanitary Grocery

A few Elberta peaches left, at per crate, 70c; winter pears, per bushel, \$1.50; fancy blue plums, per crate, \$1.25; home-grown grapes, basket, 30c; small basket peaches, each, 25c; ripe tomatoes, per lb., 5c; 3 quarts cranberries, 25c; home-grown apples, peck, 25c; home-grown potatoes, bu., 50c; just arrived, New France flour, per package, 16c; 5c; pure maple syrup, quart cans, 90c; 1/2-gal. cans, 90c; sauer kraut in cans, per can, 10c; large cans baked beans, can, 10c; June peas, per can, 10c; Lily Cream flour, per sack, \$1.25; Marshall Blend flour, warranted, \$1.15. L. Green, 120 West Broadway. Telephone 2710.

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IOWA COMMISSION POSTS UP ON DEPOT MATTERS

That the Iowa railroad commissioners are giving attention to the Union depot proposition at Council Bluffs has been evidenced by the fact that George L. McLaughlin, secretary of the commission, stopped yesterday when he passed through the city and called upon Mayor Maloney for a map of the city to be used by the commission in studying the depot situation here. The request for the map was made with special reference to the visit that Chairman Ketchum of the commission expects to make here before the date is fixed for the formal visit of the whole commission. The map was furnished him with additional detailed information.

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Minor Mention

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C. E. Armstrong of Santa Clara, Cal., is visiting his cousin, Deputy County Clerk Roy Hardwick.

Edwards Schickens, 140 Benton street, who owns and operates a harness shop in Omaha, was the victim of a pickpocket who operated while the crowds were watching the electric parade on Thursday night. His lost \$2 while walking through the crowd with his wife in the vicinity of the Auditorium building. The money was in a side pocket and was supposed to be the victim of a pickpocket who was happening while the thief was going through his pockets. Another of \$5 was overlooked by the adroit thief.

Mrs. Mary Barcus, a widow with five children, has filed a petition for aid under the widows' pension act. The petition sets forth that Mrs. Barcus is unable to properly support the children, but is a proper guardian. Samuel Barcus, the father, died January 2, 1912, and since April, 1912, Mrs. Barcus has supported the children by washing and ironing. The petition asks for \$15 a week for each child, making the pension \$75. The oldest is but 11 years of age. Judge Snyder will probably decide on the matter Saturday.

Auditor Hannan has secured from the state highway commission a supply of the June edition of the service book issued by the commissioners to aid in the understanding of the new road laws. The book contains copies of the new road, weed measure, the 1912 solvent fund law, and the laws covering the opening of gravel pits, registration of routes, fraudulent contracts, patents and supervisors bonds, together with opinions of the attorney general thereon. He has mailed copies to the various township clerks, and will furnish trustees with copies upon application.

Only boys from the Washington avenue, Bloomer and Pierce street schools will be in the parade in the reception at the Young Men's Association this afternoon. Boys from these schools are being organized in connection with the membership campaign of the boys department will be received at the building later.

Proprietors and employees of the Clark Drug company's store were given an interesting five minutes last night when a well-dressed woman discovered while in the act of paying a bill, that her diamond ring was missing from her finger. She was sure it must have fallen on the floor and clerks and others engaged in the search for it. After five minutes' vain search the ring was found in the pocketbook which the woman was holding in her hand and which she had opened to pay the bill for the goods purchased. Whether it slipped from her finger at the moment or had been absent-mindedly taken off and placed there is not known.

Miss Edna Hiko, who began a district court suit against Chief of Police Froom

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yesterday, Miss Hiko was instrumental in the recovery of a pocketbook containing \$100 in cash and negotiable papers to the amount of \$1,500, which L. S. Stump of Chillicothe, Mo., lost on September 20, 1911. Miss Hiko promptly notified the police, she says, and the valuable purse was turned over to Detective Arnold. After discovering his loss, Stump had visited the police station and left an offer of \$100 for the return of his property. The purse was secured in a restaurant where its owner, Stump, left it and the police claim that the clue that led to its immediate recovery was in their possession before Miss Hiko communicated with the central office.

Police Judge Snyder yesterday suspended the one-year sentence imposed upon Clyde McClelland under the state law defining vagrancy. McClelland was sent down to the county jail on August 3 to serve one year unless he could procure a bond of \$50 that he would become usefully employed. Weakness of will to resist the temptation of the drink habit has been his chief failing, and Judge Snyder, who sold him inebriating liquor to bring about reformation, believed that one month of total abstinence might be sufficient to strengthen the young man's courage to continue the fight against his appetite. In granting the parole Judge Snyder told McClelland to report any saloonkeeper who sold him inebriating liquor under the state law. Such an offense can bring about a forfeiture of the parole and be sufficient to cause McClelland's return to the jail to serve out the remainder of the year.

Burglar Frightened Away from House

When C. J. Luther returned to his home, 235 Avenue B, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning he aroused his mother in time to permit her to see a big negro standing by the side of her bed. Mrs. Luther was awakened by the noise of her son opening the front door and she saw the negro dart from the room and leave the house through a rear door. The son also got a glimpse of the man as he later fled.

Luther is employed until late at night by the street lighting company and his mother has been in the habit of leaving the front door unlocked until his arrival. It is believed the negro entered the house by the front door, and for the purpose of making his escape easy in case of necessity had gone through the house and opened the rear door. If his purpose was robbery it was not indicated by any search for valuables that could be revealed by disorder of the articles about the house. After leaving the house the fellow ran in the direction of the street car tracks on Avenue A and disappeared before Luther could get a gun and wing him.

Girls wanted for wrapping and packing candy. Also experienced chocolate dipers. Do not apply unless you want steady employment for fall and winter. John G. Woodward & Co., "The Candy Men," Council Bluffs, Ia.

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Real Estate Transfers. The following real estate transfers filed Friday were reported to The Bee by the Pottawattamie County Abstract company:

Orwell B. Towne and wife to Robert B. Wallace, lot 5 in block 2, Turley & White subd., Council Bluffs, w. d., \$4,500.

H. D. Anderson and wife to J. A. and S. G. Stonebraker, no. 14 of nw. 1/4 of the se. 1/4 of T. 27, R. 40, w. d., \$1,000.

Sarah B. B. Rohrer and husband to Frank Melroy, lots 1 and 2 in block 1, 7 Beers' subd., Council Bluffs, w. d., \$400.

A. A. Clark and wife to Peter Jensen, lots 1, 2 and 3 in block 22 in Howard's add. to Council Bluffs, w. d., \$1,250.

Sarah B. B. Rohrer and husband to J. W. Bell, lots 11 and 12 in block 22 in Beers' subd., Council Bluffs, w. d., \$400.

Four transfers, total, \$6,651.

Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses were yesterday issued to the following named persons:

Name and Address. Age.

William K. Gleason, Kansas City, 23.

Martha Walz, Columbus, O., 24.

JUDGE LETS PRISONERS GO

Humphries Adjourns Court After Pardons and Remissions.

CHANGE FOLLOWS CONSULTATION

Meets Representative of Other Members of Superior Bench—Jurist Is Likened to Pontius Pilate.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 4.—Superior Judge John E. Humphries, who began the day in belligerent moods, with his docket full of contempt of court cases against socialists, and who began the session by denouncing his brother judges, who, he asserted, had been plotting against him, adjourned court late today after dispensing pardons and remissions to all comers. His change of attitude came after a consultation with a representative of eight other superior judges.

The most remarkable feature of the day in court was the discharge of Herman F. Titus, Kate Sadler and Mildred Price, the citation of whom to answer contempt charges because of speeches they made in city hall park July 24, led to the "resolutions of defiance," whose signers have been on trial and a number of whom are in jail.

Warned Not to Be "Assy."

Until the middle of the afternoon Judge Humphries continued to hear the cases of the fifty-five signers of the "defiance" making frequent addresses to the crowd packed tight in the stuffy little court room. In the morning the penalties imposed were severe, in the afternoon mild. The court frequently warned the defendants not to be "asssy." Those who were "asssy" fared ill.

After the "defiant" persons had been disposed of the case of Dr. Titus on the charge of violating an anti-street speaking injunction was called. The judge delivered a long address, saying it had wrung his heart to be obliged to send so many of his old friends to jail, but declaring he must enforce the law. He had been obliged, he said, to send even his old cook, "Bole," to jail for "getting assy."

The judge dwelt upon the great power he wielded, saying he had but to close his hand to put his hearers in jail and to open it to let them out. He explained:

"I hold the keys. I have great power. I am higher than the governor. I can put you in jail and I can pardon you."

Discharges Dr. Titus. Then the judge discharged Dr. Titus, to the latter's intense astonishment. When Mildred Price came forward the judge greeted him with a smile, saying: "Another friend of mine." Price answered a few questions and was discharged.

Kate Sadler, a street speaker, was brought from the county jail, where she had been confined for interrupting the court proceedings yesterday. Questioned by Judge Humphries she declared she had not assailed him in her speeches, but on the contrary had praised him as an object lesson of the need of recall of judges. To her amazement the court said he would reduce her \$100 fine to \$10.

"I'll not pay it," she shouted. "Don't get assy," said the judge, adding: "The fine is remitted, anyhow." Waving his hand to the crowd, the judge said:

"You saw how easy it was for me to let Kate go."

Woman's Fine Remitted. "What because of the woman with the two babies?" the court next asked. He was told that Mrs. McNally would be released from jail tonight. The judge inquired about Mrs. Spencer, a woman with four children, and remitted the fine against her. The prosecutor objected, saying: "She was very defiant, your honor."

At the close of court tonight the principals in the socialist contempt cases were free and more than a score of persons were in jail in default of payment of fines varying from \$5 to \$200 for "talking back to the court." Three of the latter had been sentenced to six months each in prison.

Five women are in jail tonight for non-payment of \$100 fines. They are Mrs. L. E. Reed, a stylishly dressed young woman, who resented a remark made by the prosecutor about her good clothing

and pleasing appearance; Mrs. Katherine Stirtan, who likened the court to Pontius Pilate; Mrs. Mildred Price, who said she was from Missouri; Mrs. Annie Anderson and Mrs. Mary Jarvis.

It was agreed that Judge Everett Smith's granting of writs of habeas corpus was lawful, but not ethical, and that no more such writs would be issued. The opinion of the judge was that relief must come from the supreme court, which has already issued two restraining orders against Judge Humphries and will pass upon appeals from sentences imposed yesterday and today.

After court adjourned Judge Humphries said he had not decided what to do with the hundreds of signers of the "resolutions of defiance" whom he had not yet cited.

Iowa News Notes.

WOODRINE—Domestic science short course will be held in the Baptist church here October 27 to 30. The Quil Vive club has the matter in hand and a large attendance is expected.

LOGAN—Women of the Logan Auxiliary will entertain the members of the other auxiliaries of the county at the home of Mrs. W. B. Crowdon at Logan Wednesday afternoon, October 8.

LOGAN—The late Mrs. Caroline Rugg bequeathed \$200 to a high school library and \$300 for the Christian Home at Council Bluffs, the remainder to relatives and suitable monument for herself.

IDA GROVE—Because Shenandoah has refused to provide outside officials, such as they required last year when they came to Ida Grove, the foot ball game which was to have been played there Saturday has been called off by Shenandoah.

IDA GROVE—Rev. William Amos and family left for Portland, Ore., where he has taken a church. Dr. Amos was pastor of the Presbyterian church here and resigned a short time ago. Rev. R. J. Blue of Enid, Okla., has come to take his place.

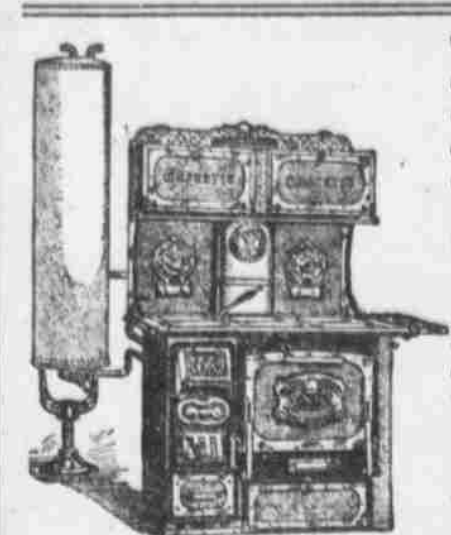
LOGAN—The foot ball team of the Logan High school will play the Omaha High school team here next Saturday afternoon, Blair, Saturday, October 11, and Rockwell City, Saturday, October 18. November 15 the team will go to Des Moines to play the foot ball team of the high school there.

LOGAN—A meeting of the Logan Commercial club has been set for Tuesday evening, October 7, at which time Dr. M. A. Humphrey, D. H. Seabury and C. A. Grove, delegates to the congress of good roads at Detroit, will address the club on the Detroit meeting and the good roads question in general.

WOODRINE—The local committee in charge of the lecture course for the season has arranged for six numbers, two lectures, three musicals with reading and one entertainment. Lectures, Theodore McDowell opens the course Monday evening, October 13, Dr. B. C. Platt, lecturer, November 7, Estelle Gray company, January 15; G. H. Bradford, February 3; John Ratto, February 23, and the Barnard Orchestra company on March 31.

GLENWOOD—In district court, in session here, Judge Rockafellow presiding, Thomas Rice is on trial for assault. In his first trial, October 1, the jury pronounced him sane. The witnesses and parties to the trial are Mexicans, employed by the railroad companies. Mrs. J. B. Merriam of Glenwood has so far been official interpreter. In the case of Wallace against the Burlington railroad the case has been continued until next term. Wallace sues for short weights on coal and sand shipments.

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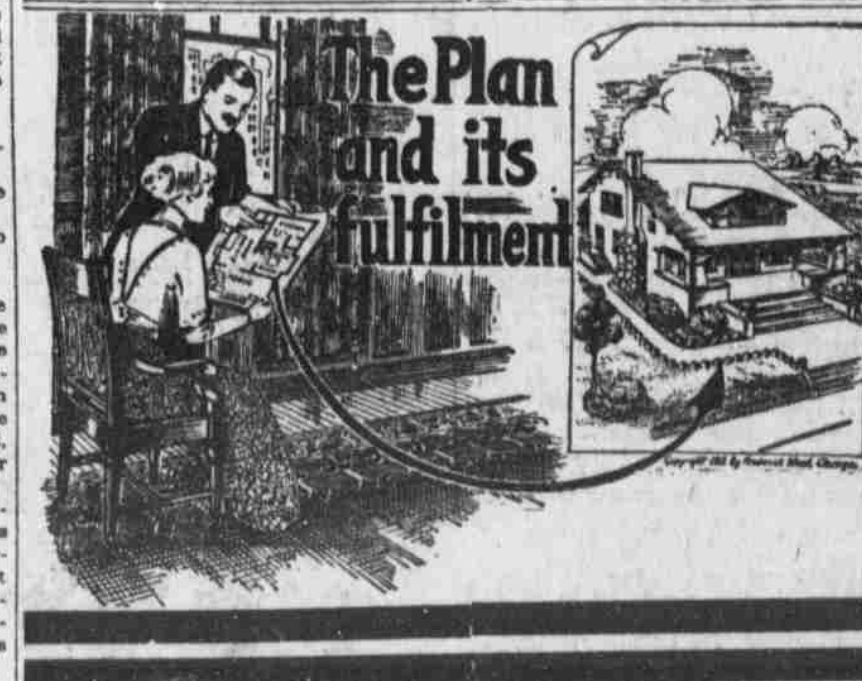
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